

Warrwa language

The **Warrwa language** is an extinct Australian Aboriginal language which was formerly spoken in the Derby Region of Western Australia near Broome, Western Australia.^{[5][6]} It may have been a dialect of Nyigina.^[3] It was also known as Warrawai or Warwa.^[7]

Grammar

Warrwa employed a variety of word orders grammatically. Attributive adjectives and possessive adjectives preceded the nouns they modified.^[8]

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Warrwa	
Native to	Australia
Region	West Kimberley, Derby region of Western Australia
Extinct	2 speakers reported in 2001 ^[1]
Language family	Nyulnyulan <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Eastern ▪ Nyigina? ▪ Warrwa
Language codes	
ISO 639-3	wwr
Glottolog	warr1258 (http://glottolog.org/resource/languoid/id/warr1258) ^[2]
AIATSIS ^[3]	K10 (https://collection.aiatsis.gov.au/austlang/language/K10)
	
Map of the traditional lands of Australian Aboriginal tribes around Derby, Western Australia. Warrwa is in green. ^[4]	

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